

O reader by the eastern sea,—
Thought-traveler by the "brook,"—
I send my written name to thee
To put within thy book.

I pray that in a holier place
Thy name may written be;
That through our dear Redeemer's grace,
Who died for thee and me,
His Book of Life thy name may hold,
When He its pages shall unfold.

Mary E. Bamford.
East Oakland, California. Feb. 11, 1899.

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